

Andrew Peterson 1850-1950 Centennial Biography

Andrew Peterson was born December 5, 1865, the son of Andrew A. Peterson and Mary Ann Pherson Peterson. He helped his father in the farm and with the sheep while a boy, and later in early manhood he had a sheep herd of his own. He sold his sheep and built a home in the southward par of Lehi City.

He married Sarah Emma Webb October 28, 1891 in the Manti Temple.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and worked in several offices. Among them were Sunday School teacher, Ward Teacher, Elder, Seventy and High Priest.

He was a director of the Lehi Irrigation Company. His vocation in life was farming. He was honorable and honest and perhaps his outstanding qualification was his honesty, patience, and tolerance. He died April 19, 1923 at his home in Lehi

Tribute to a Friend By Andrew Fjeld

Andrew Peterson was my beloved friend and most cherished companion. We began playing together when we were very small boys and continued almost inseparable until we were grown. Nature seemed to have endowed him with an unusual degree of wisdom and good “horse-sense” so that he was looked up to and respected by all of the boys. He was never in trouble with anyone, but peaceable and agreeable in his ways.

We were closely associated in school, in church, hauling wood together, and working in the farm. but wherever he was and whatever he was doing, he was

always honorable, trustworthy, full of faith, and absolutely reliable. An energetically, fine, dependable man, whom I deeply loved.